
You have received this message because you are currently a Belmont Town Meeting Member

Attached please find the documents for the upcoming Annual Town Meeting, the opening session scheduled for Monday, May 5, 2014 at 7 pm at the Belmont High School Auditorium.

The documents contained in this package, consist of 87 pages, so please consider before you print. The files attached have been compressed as much as possible:

- A. Moderator's Message on Town Meeting Procedures (2 pages)
- B. Letter from the Board of Selectmen (3 pages)
- C. Warrant for Annual Town Meeting (38 pages including the index)
- D. Invitation to Warrant Briefing by the Warrant Committee & League of Women Voters April 28th (1 page)
- E. Motions as of April 10, 2014 (8 pages)
- F. Article 4 - General Bylaw for Lone Tree Hill, Belmont Conservation Land (1 page)
- G. Articles 9-14 – Zoning Bylaw Amendments (5 pages)
- H. Community Preservation Committee Report of Projects
 - a. Project Summaries (9 pages)
 - b. First-time homebuyer supplement (2 pages)
- I. Minuteman Regional Vocational High School Regional Agreement
 - a. Board of Selectmen Summary Letter (1 page)
 - b. Summary of Proposed Changes (2 pages)
 - c. Proposed Amendments to the Agreement (4 pages)
 - d. Regional Agreement draft 3/11/2014 (10 pages)
- J. Article 5 – Police Chief letter - Amendment/Correction to General Bylaw regarding Criminal History Checks (1 page)

Effective tomorrow, April 16, 2014 Town Meeting Members may choose to pick up a copy of the entire Town Meeting Package at the following locations instead of printing a copy:

- Town Clerk's office in Town Hall (455 Concord Avenue, Monday to Friday 8 am to 4 pm)
- Lobby of the Belmont Police Station (460 Concord Avenue – 24 hours/7 days)
- Reference Desk of the Belmont Public Library (336 Concord Avenue during hours of operation)

The deadline for Town Meeting Members to file amendments, in writing, to motions on the articles in the warrant is 4pm the third business day before the session of Town Meeting at which the article is expected to be voted. Amendments for articles to be heard on May 5th are therefore due to the Town Clerk's office by 4pm Wednesday, April 30th. The Moderator will not accept substantive amendments made on the floor, only if filed in writing by the deadline. The Town Meeting Member Handbook is attached for your reference.

Please be certain to arrive in time to sign in at the registration tables. Town Meeting Members who do not sign in cannot be provided credit for attendance.

Town Meeting Members are required to sit in the front half of the Auditorium at Belmont High School, in the center or left sections or the right section behind the delineation for Town Staff members.

Finally, there are caucuses to fill seats in several precincts for which election resulted in a tie and failure to elect. These are scheduled for completion prior to the start of Town Meeting.

Should you have questions, please feel free to contact the Town Clerk's office at 617-993-2600 or at townclerk@belmont-ma.gov. See you at Town Meeting.